### COMMERCIAL.

Monetary. We have an easier state of affairs and a better seeing in the Money Market to note. The demand is less pressing, and first class paper is manu reactily negotiated at a decline on last The resumption of specie payment by our Banks caused no inconvenience or excitement, nor have we heard of any unusual demands for specie.

The rejusal by the Richmond Banks to receive the notes of other Banks than their brancess, or those that are redeemable in Richmond, most have an injurious influence on the curreley and the community, and is severely censured throughout the State. Loudest in their complaints against the action of the Richmond Banks, are the people of Richmond, who contend that the trade of that city will suffer greaty from the effects of this determination on the part of the Banks. We hope the cause will speedily be done away with, as the effects must

In New York, money is still reported in great shundance, and the amount of specie held by the Banks, already \$36,000,000, is increasing. The Baltimore papers quote money in that city very easy on call, and collaterals at 6@9 per ct The Banks there cannot find a sufficient supply first class paper to absorb their receipts.

Stocks are quiet, but firm. Last sales of Orange and Alexandria Railroad bonds at 66 and Manassas Gap Railroad bonds, 50 and int. We quote Corporation stock at 82; Bank of the old Dominion at par.

The New York Stock Market on Thursday. showed but little variation. There is rather \$29. more firmness than heretofore in Statestocks. There were no sales of Government stocks. The largest business in State stocks was in Missouti sixes at 83], advance. Ohio sixes closed at 1011, h advance; Tennessee at 90, yesterday's price; Virginia at 93, 1 advance; North Carolina at 95, 1 advance; and Iowa sevens of

ent rates are those which have prevailed for some time:-40 acres 100@105c.; 80's 88@91c.; 20's 82@85c : 160's 87@90.

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Hav, (\* 100 lbs.)...... 621 @ 0 75 The market during the week has been generally quiet, with moderate receipts; sales of Flour have been principally for city consumption, and prices without quotable change-closvariable; last sales of white at 100@110c; red 63c.-no sales of yellow reported, and very lit-Rye at 70c. Seeds are dull, with very few sales. tations remain unchanged. Butter and Lard are in active demand, and prices are well sustained. Fourteen thousand sacks coarse Salt, slightly damaged, were sold at auction, on Thursday, at Messrs Fowle & Co.'s wharf, for 623@

### Alexandria Fish Market, May 7.

pect of a decline in prices.

### New York Market.

\$4.50; Southern \$4.45@\$4.75. Wheat is heavy; sales of 6.500 bush ; Southern white 125@128c Western 113c. Corn is dull; sales of 20,000 bush; white 661/071c., yellow 73c. Pork is steady; Mess \$18.40/01/18.50; Prime \$14.75/0 \$14.80 Whiskey is dull, at 201c. for Ohio.

The receipts of Beef Cattle at the various the receipts of the week previous. The large supply and the inclement weather caused a dull market, and prices of all descriptions declined. The quotations ranged from 7 cents to about 10 quality. There was a heavy supply of Veal Calves, and prices declined &c. on all qualities, the average rate being 5 cents per pound. The receipts of Sheep and Lambs were also very large, and, with a comparatively inactive market, prices declined; \$2 50@\$6.50 were the extreme quotations. Swine were plentiful, and a decline of 2 cents per pound, as compared with the rates ruling at this time last year, is re-

Baltimore Cattle Market, May 6.

SHEEP.—Sheep are in better supply, and prices are a little lower. We quote them to-day at

Commerce, that the foreign imports at New York, during April, show a further decline; the total being but little more than half the amount for the corresponding period of either of the previous two years. This is a far greater decline than was anticipated, and will attract general attention on both sides of the Atlantic. The entries of free goods, chiefly tes and coffee, have been unusually large.

## Exchange Bank.

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\$6,654,232 21 LIABILITIES: Capital Stock. \$3.047 800 00 distinction should have the privilege of par-Circulation . . . . . . . . . . . . 1,694,646 50 ticipating in the debates. Due to other Banks...... Excess of Assets or Surplus.... 332,430 65 mitted to honorary membership.

Virginia 6 per cent., 34 years to run, no sales at the Treasury. Do. do. shorter dates, last sales \$90, and int.

Richmond City Bonds, sales \$92, and int Virginia Bank Stock, par \$70-sales \$721. Farmers' Bank Stock, last sales \$1031.

Merchants' Insurance Stock last sales \$47. Richmond Fire Association Stock, par \$20,

sales \$354. Richmond, Fredericksburg, and Potomac R.

Virginia Central Railroad Stock, last sales

sales \$55. Richmond and Danville Railroad Stock, last

Virginia Central Railroad bonds \$694, and int.

Manassas Gap Railroad bonds \$50 and int.

Virginia State Stock \$90@\$904 and int. Virginia Central R. R. bonds \$697 and int.

Bank of Virginia Stock \$721.

The Export Trade. The New York Journal of Commerce says: somewhat by the small number of vessels offerfreight, were almost nominal; during the first case. Neither freight or passengers can be obtained from Great Britain to the United States, sufficient to make the competion at all spirited, or even to fill the vessels now loading.

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Schr. Iram Smith, McGivern, Fall River, by Borden Mining Co.
MEMORANDA.

sailed from Providence, 4th inst. Schr. Statesman, Wicks, for this port, cleared at New York, 5th inst.

Schr. Alva, Greenwood, from this port, arrived at St. John, N. B., 29th ult. Schr. Frederick Reed, Blatchford, from this port, arrived at Bath, 34 inst.

CALL FOR A COVENTION OF THE VOTERS OF FAUQUIER .- A Convention will be held at Piedmont, in Fauquier Co of the friends of Mr. Geo. W. Norris, and of Mr. John Ameler, to secure to one or the other of them a fair chance for election in the contest for the Clerkship of Fauquier County Court.

Their triends believing that neither of them is heavy; State \$4.25@\$4.45; Ohio \$4.25@ can be elected under existing circumstances. Thursday, the 13th of May, and hope that all parties teeling an interest in the matter will come forward and have a full and free inter my 6-eo3: change of opinion.

Beautiful Fancy Prints; French Chintz Prints; Lawn and Chintz Robe a' Quilles; beautiful Or Laines. The best Bleached Cotton in the market for 123 cts. Irish Linens of superior brands; Fancy Cassimeres; Marseilles Vestings; Children's and Ladies' Hosiery; Gloves and Mitts; a

Brent's Old Stand, No. 64, King st. TUST RECEIVED-Three dozen Mantles. ranging from \$3.50 to \$20. Also-

Robe Aquille \$1.25 to \$15. Rich and beautiful Berage, Challie, Organdy, Cambric and gin operations has been subscribed. The Chintz, Florence Robes, French Embroideries, &c., &c. [my 8] WITMERS & CO. | 000, which is two to [Port Tobacco Times. Marlboro Gazette, Fair- | 1 mum prescribed. fax News, and Culpeper Observer.]

DEDUCTION OF FARE .- The fare at the MARSHALL HOUSE, corner of King and Pitt streets, Alexandria, Va., will hereafter its stock, for the last six months, of 41 per

attendance at the arrival and departure of the Cars and Boats. my 8-tf FOR BALTIMORE.-The steamer

go for Baltimore, on Saturday, leaving at 3 o'clock, P. M. WHEAT & BRO., Agents. my 8-1t

The regular packet Schr. SYLVANUS ALLEN, Sears, master. For freight or passage, apply to M. ELDRIDGE. my 8

BBLS. EASTERN HERRINGS 200 BBLS. EASTERN 25 bbls. Alewives 25 " Potomac Herrings, in prime order, and for sale by KNOX & BROTHER.

M. P GENERAL CONFERENCE - Third Day Additional members were present from the Pittsburg, Muskingham, Iswa, Mississippi and Maryland Conferences.

The Judiciary Committee reported favorably upon the resolution offered by Doctor Laishley, amending the 10th article on page Biggs. 39 of discipline, so as to take cognizance of the action of members who may make improper transfer or assignment of property to elude

A protracted debate, growing out of the question of privilege conferred by honorary membership, was had; and the Conference determined that those persons invited to such

1,379,168 58 ger from Des Moine Mission, Iowa, was ad-A communication was received from M. \$6,654,232 21 P. Gilliam, a lay delegate elect from the

Oregon and California District, and referred to the committee on Missions. Rev. Doct. Laisbley offered a resolution respecting the boundary of the Western Vir- dozen years, he had no doubt he may have

nual Conferences shall collect and send up to the Book Agent, statistics of the members, &c , within the bounds of their Conferences, that the same may be reported to the General Con ference. Referred to the Literary Committee. The Chair announced the following com-

lier, Geo. Vickers, B. S. Bibb, Z. Kidwell. On Statistics-Wm. Reeves, Sam'l. Clawson, Jumes P. Speight.

On Ratio of Representation-Elisha Lott, C. W. Button, Luther Martin. A communication was presented by Rev. Dr. Murray from the Charleston S. C.

Memorials. A long communication was received from Worthington G. Snethen, esq., relative to a biography and compilation of the works of his late father, Rev. Nicholas Snethen, on

which he has been engaged. Referred to the Literary Committee. Rev. Dennis B. Dorsey, from a theological committee raised by the last General Conterence, made an elaborate and interesting report respecting a course of reading and study

day for Friday afternoon. delegate from Georgia, respecting infant bap- that island. Instructions have been made

finally laid on the table. Upon a resolution affirming the "General Rules of John and Charles We-ley," prefixed to the "articles of religion" in the book of discipline-to be "scriptorally correct, and a test of membership in the Methodist Protestant Church," an animated discussion was elicited, when the whole question was referred to the Judiciary Committee .- Lynch.

on the 1st instant. The chair was taken by Rishon Soule, who opened the exercises with reading of the Hely Scriptures, singing and prayer. Nearly every member was present, numbering more than 150. Bishops Audrew, Paine, Early, Pierce and Kavanaugh were in attendance. The Rev. T. O. Somers was chosen Secretary. The rules of the last General Conference were adopted, and after arranging for the appointment of the Stand

tion of the Court. The Jury rendered a next brought up, but owing to the illness and non attendance of the prisoner's counsel, the case was continued until the fall term

the politeness of Dr. Jeffries several stalks of wheat, four feet high, with good heads. in full bloom, grown on the farm of B Boughton, esq., of Essex county. A gentleman in the same county, Mr. Charles Boughton, observed, some seven years ago, four heads in his field which were much more forward than the bulk of his wheat. He saved them, and has been seeding every year from those heads until the present erop, in the opinion of reliable judges, will turn out 1,200 bushels. This wheat is some two or three weeks more forward than any other wheat, and, therefore, is not liable to the calamities which very often befai late wheat .- Rich. Whiq.

The Virginia Central Agricultural Society has been organized at Richmond, and James Lyons, esq., of Richmond city, elected President, with twenty Vice-Presidents, from thirteen counties, and an executive Committee of fifteen from twelve counties. The grounds provided and furnished by the city of Richof the State Society.

FATAL ACCIDENT .- A youth about fifteen years of age, son of Mr. John Evy, who resides on Dry River, on the Fall Mill road. was accidentally killed a few days ago by a wagon running over his head and crushing his scull in a frightful manner .- Valley Dem

The amount of capital stock necessary to be obtained for the Bank of Danville to be subscriptions at this time amount to \$102-000, which is two thousand beyond the min-

The Farmers and Merchants S.vings Bank of Richmond, has declared a dividend upon

RICH AND GLOSSY BLACK SILKS .-- We would call the special attention of the Laures to our elegant assortment of rich heavy and glossy Black Silks, which we can recom mend to all in want of a good article. RICH DIAMOND STATE, will receive caralso in store a beautiful lot of handsome Black Flounced Silk Robes and Robes a Quille, to which we solicit the attention of those in want.

> No. 38, opposite Centre Market. between 7th and 8th streets. Washington, my 8-d10tif DARGAINS.—We have just received, this

B day, from New York, a large supply of EMBROIDERIES and MANTILLAS, which we will sell very low for cash. S. & W. MEYENBERG. | sale by 35 King street, Sarepta Hall.

In the Senate, yesterday, Mr. Mason presented the credentials of Hon. Thomas L. Clingman, who has been appointed by the Governor of North Carolina, United States Senator from that State, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Hon. Asa

After the credentials were read, Mr. Clingman was accompanied to the Chair by Mr. Mason, and had the usual oath administerel to him by the Vice President. On motion of Mr. Fitzpatrick, the Senate

In the House of Representatives, Mr. Clingman said he had had the honor of receiving a commission from the Governor of the State of North Carolina, to fill a position in the other branch of Congress. He had, accordingly, written to him a letter of resignation as a member of the house. During his service in the House, for about a

session, in objecting to motions or obstructions to the business out of the regular order. He begged leave to say in every single instance he was actuated by no feeling of unkindness, but was governed solely by a sense of duty. If he had made use of language in debate unpleasant to them, he hoped that they would attribute it, not to any personal unkindness, but to the reasons stated. He would leave this hall without an unkind feeling to any one, and with many regrets.

wounded the feelings of gentlemen here in

their struggles; perhaps during the present

The letter of resignation was read, to take effect immediately.

On motion of Mr. Stephens, by general consent the vote on the Minnesota bill will be taken on Tuesday next.

Both Houses of Congress, adjourned at

an early bour yesterday, in consequence of the death of Senator Evans, of South Carolina. Naval.

as flagship for the Home Squadron, will from the Sun, and only two from each of the touch at St. Domingo for the purpose of in-A resolution, offered by John Webb, a lay quiring into the condition of our affairs in tism, gave rise to a long detate and was out at the State and Navy Departments Latham suggested that it was probable that which will guide the Commodore in his some Companies might be divided and thus movements. A rigid examination will be instituted .- Wash. Star.

O. Canal is reported to be in excellent pavi- others present should vote; and the roll being gable order. Since the report of Saturday called the preamble and resolution passed, as 47 boats have arrived at Georgetown, 37 of follows: them from Camberland, bringing about 3,300 tons of coal for the American and Detmould Companies. The remainder from other points with flour, lime-stone, wood, &c. We learn that Mr. Brengle, the President of the Company, is making strenuous efforts to raise the means necessary to meet the claims of the late officers of the company.

The delegates to the National Medical A-sociation, were very handsomely entertained in Washington, on Thursday night, at the residence of Hon. Stephen A. Douglas.

BALLAST MASTER -The County Court, yesmaster of this port.

MARRIED.

Church, Georgetown, D. C., by the Rev. J. Bo-cock, D. D., Lieut, THOMAS WILSON, U. S. Army, to Miss HENRIETTA W., daughter of B. F. Rittenhouse, esq., of the former place. In Washington, on the 4th inst. by Rev. B.

Sutherland, THOMAS THORNTON, esq., to ELLEN F. PRINGLE, youngest daughter of Andrew Pringle, esq., all of Prince William

Dove, in the 73d year of her age.

NEW BEREGES AND ROBES FROM AUCTION.—We have just opened a very ace assortment of new Berege Robes and andsome Bereges by the yard, to which we soect the early attention of the Ladies. ALSO-Beautiful silk Robes a Quille

sitable for the approaching season, any of which we are prepared to sell at the lowest market price, and in many instances for less han they can be purchased for elsewhere. Also, a splendid assortment of Black Lace Shawls, Points, Scaris, and Mantillas, all of which are marked in plain figures at our low-

est cash prices. W. M. SHUSTER & CO.

NANCROFT'S HISTORY-New volume-The American Revolution! the History of the United States, volume VII., being Volume I of the American Revolution, by Geo. Bancroft, ctavo, uniform with previous volumes. This is the first of four volumes which will embrace the period of the American Revolution, from the blockade of Boston to the treaty of peace t Paris, in 1782.

As there will doubtless be a great demand or the History of the Revolution, independent the preceding volumes of the work, these four volumes will also be published separately. as the American Revolution, Vols. 1, 11, 111, 1V

MORE NEW BOOKS AT FRENCH'S
Book and Periodical Depot. Bancroft's History of the United States, vol. th, being volume 1st of the American Revolu-

tion, price \$2,25. Spurgeon's Sermons, fourth Series, just pub-Wood and Bache's United States, Dispensato-

y, eleventh edition, a fresh supply, \$5 The London Illustrated News, containing the likeness of the Princess in colors, a fresh supply, just received, 50 cts. Constantly receiving new Books.

E. T. BERRY, No 10st, King-street. [Blue Ridge Republican ]

good's Chologogue, Shallenberger's Pills; Mustang Liniment; Hunt's do; Kidwell's Nervine; Cox's Sparkling Gelatine, just received, and for LOCAL ITEMS.

COUNTY COURT .- In the County Court, yesterday, in the case of Thomas Hopwood, the defendant's motion for a new trial was withdrawn, and judgement against the defendant, that he be imprisoned in the county jail for three days, and pay the costs of the prose-

The Court adjourned to meet this morning at 10 o'clock.

bled at the Hall of the Sun Fire Company, on shots were fired, but no one was injured. Thursday evening : present, Messrs. Muir, Prettyman, Atkinson and Whittington of No. 1; Latham, Tatsapaugh and Rudd of No. 2; Shinn and Green of No. 3; Berry and Delahay of No. 4; and Barton and Carne of

The Committee appointed at the last meeting reported five propositions, asking the City Council for a regular annual appropriation for each Company in lieu of special appropriations; recommending the appointment f one general cleaner of hose, apparatus &c. for all the Companies; fixing the age for membership in Companies at eighteen, and requesting the passage of a law forbidding all persons under that age to run with or about apparatus; providing for a court to settle disputes between the Companies; and expressing the opinion that Wardens ought to be numbered according to seniority of Companies, alternately. Messrs. Lambert and Carne dissented from the last recommendation, arguing that a selection of senior Wardens by Council, out of the whole number nominated, would be the best method of appoint-

The report having been informally laid over, the resolutions offered by Mr. Latham at the last meeting were taken up, and the preamble and first resolution, requesting on the 4th of March last. The greater part Council to adopt some just rule for the num- of his life was spent in public service, as he bering of Wardens, was taken up and dis- at one time filled the responsible office of At-

When the question was about to be taken, The Colorado, now fitting out at Norfolk delegates present from the Friend ship, three other Companies, the vote should be taken by Companies. On the other hand, Mr. lose their votes, and the Convention concurring in this view, it was decided that three The entire length of the line of the C. & of the Friendship delegates, and all the

Axes-Messrs. Whittington, Atkinson, Latham, Tatsapaugh, Rudd, Green, Berry and Delahav-8 NoEs-Messrs, Muir, Shinn, Barton and Carne

The second resolution then coming up, Mr. Muir offered a substitute declaring the object of the late act of Council relative to assembling in Engine Houses a correct one; but disapproving the means employed to carry it out: which substitute was adopted.

The third and fourth resolutions declaring that there always had been sufficient law to preserve order about Engine Houses, if executerday, elected Geo. W. Dearborn, ballast ted, and requesting the repeal of the recent act, were also passed.

taken up and the first, third, fourth, and fifth recommendations adopted with an amendment to the fourth, giving the proposed permanent Convention jurisdiction over all matters tending to promote the interests of the depart.

On motion of Mr. Rudd, a resolution was adopted requesting Council to provide each Company with hooks and ladders.

The Chairman, with Messre. Whittington. Latham, Lambert, Berry and Carne were then appointed a Committee to lay the pro In Washington, on Wednesday, 5th instant, MARGARET, relict of the late Marmaduke and the Convention adjourned to meet at the Hall of the Friendship Fire Company, upon the call of the President.

The official proceedings, embracing the resolutions &c., will be published on Monday.

EXCURSION .-- A number of the members of the National Medical Association made an excursion from Washington yesterday, to Mount Vernon, Fort Washington and the White House. At the last mentioned place the company partook of a planked Shad entertainment given to the Association by the medical profession of Washington. Although the weather was inclement, there was a large company, and the day was passed very agree-

SENT ON .- John Lawler, who was arrested day before yesterday, for knocking Henry Holburner overboard and robbing him, and David Buckley charged with being an accessory, were examined yesterday morning | Having accepted the Agency for the sale of this before the Mayor and Justice Price, and re committed to jail to await a trial at the June term of the County Court.

The Georgetown correspondent of the Washington Star says:-- The name of the individual who was shot a few days since upon the line of the Washington Aqueduct, was Thomas Gretty. After he was shot, the clerk of Mr. Allen brought the body to our city. and had prepared, at the establishment of J. F. Burch, a neat coffiin, into which the body was placed, and sent on to Pailadelphia. where he formerly resided, accompanied by his wife and one child. The evidence before the inquest in view of the body was to the effect that Gretty had been discharged from the employment of Messrs. Allen and Carr; after which he went into the office of Mr. Allea for some purpose; a quarrel ensued, Gretty rushed upon Allen who seized a loaded pistol lying near by, with which to defend himself, Gretty seized him, and in the scuille the pistol was either fired or went off accidentally; killing Gretty, as heretofore Marriage of the Princess Royal, and a beautiful stated. After bearing the evidence the jury of inquest returned a verdict of accidental shooting. Mr. Alleo, who immediately surrendered himself to the officers of the law, is again on the work, attending to his business There are two rumors affoat in our city this BONNETS, also, FLOWERS, RIBBONS, morning-me that Mr. Allen was released SHAKERS and FLATS; French Worked UN-DERSLEEVES and COLLARS, HOSIERY, acquitted. We incline to the belief from all GLOVES, &c., to which I call the attention of we can gather, that the latter is the true state of the case. THE WEATHER continued, up to yesterday,

BURNETT'S & RUSHTON'S COD LIVER variable, with heavy showers. There has been too much rain for present farming purvariable, with heavy showers. There has

AUCTION SALES .- See Auction column, for cor. of Fairtax and Prince sts. sales of real estate to take place to-day.



BY MAGNETIC TELEGRAPH.

Fight Among the Firemen. PHILADELPHIA, May 7 .-- During an alarm of fire this morning, the Shiffler Hose Company assaulted the Moyamensing Hose Co., captured their carriage, demolished it, and FIREMEN'S CONVENTION .- This body assem- pitched it over the Reed street wharf. Many

> From Havana. New ORLEANS, May 7 -The Black Warrior has arrived from Havana, with dates of

> Considerable excitement existed, owing to the insults and detentions to which Amer can vessels are subjected by the English cruisers. Some American masters are de-

Sugars were dull.

Death of Senator Evans. A large portion of our community was asonished this morning at the melancholy intelligence of the sudden death of Hon. Josiah J. Evans, United States Senator from South Carolina, which occurred about eleven o'clock last night, at his residence on Louisi-

ana avenue, near Four-and-a-half street. We learn that Mr. E, in company with several other distinguished gentlemen, had dined at the house of Senator Hammond, also of South Carolina, and left there for his home after ten o'clock, apparently in the enjoyment of usual good health. Shortly after reaching home he was attacked with disease of the heart, and expired after a very brief period of suffering. He occupied his seat in the Senate yesterday, and exhibited no symptoms of approaching dissolution.

Senator E. was a native of South Carolina, and resided at Society Hill, Darlington District. He was aged about sixty years, and had been a United States Senator for 5 years, torney General of his native State, and for more than twenty years before his advent in ing date on the 14th of July, 1857, recordthe United States Senate, occupied the posi- ed in Liber S, No. 3, page 297, of the land re-Mr. Carne contended that as there were four tion of Judge of the Supreme Court of South cords of Alexandria, the undersigned, trustee, Carolina. He was a valuable member of so- will, on Tuesday, the 20th day of April, 1858, ciety, and his unexpected demise will be at 12 o'clock, M., on the premises, sell at public mournfully regretted by an extended circle auction, the valuable FARM, known as "SUMof friends .- Wash Star.

The administration organ in Philadelphia, the Pennsylvanian, is in a very complaining mood about a very small matter. Its complaint, however, even over a mere trifle, is evidently the dictate of power itself, and may, therefore, "mean more than meets the ear." It says: -- "President Buch anan has evinced his high appreciation of Mrs. Senator Douglas' beauty and accomplishments in a most substantial manner, by conferring on her father, Mr. Cutts, heretofore a subordinate clerk in one of the departments in Washington, the important office of Second Comptroller of the Treasury, with a salary of \$3,000 a year, for which munifimade any adequate acknowledgemen'!"-- 1859; the deterred payments to bear interest,

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AUCTION SALES.

VALUABLE VIRGINIA LAND FOR SALE .- The subscriber will sell privately, three FARMS, in the upper end of Westmoreland County, and known respectively by the names of ROSIER'S, MUNROE'S HALL,

and SUGAR LAND. ROSIER'S contains FIVE HUNDRED AND NINETY-EIGHT ACRES, beautifully situated on Roster Creek, and in full view of the Potomac River. The farm is provided with a small

ther with Quarters, Corn Cribs, Granaries, &c. The place is perfectly healthy, has a well of pure water in the yard, and plenty of stock water in each field-there is a convenient landing on the creek, and oysters, fish, and wild fowls are abundant in their season. The FARM is now in a successful state of

improvement, and well adapted to all the staple crops of the adjacent country.

MUNROE'S HALL contains EIGHT HUN-DRED AND THIRTY-SIX ACRES, mestly wood land, and can be made a farm not second to any in the neighborhood-it is immediately on Munroe's Creek, that is navigable for vessels

to make three farms, with plenty timber for SUGAR LAND contains ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THREE ACRES, and mostly in timber, the improvements consist of a comfortable DWELLING, and all the necessary out houses, for a large family. It is useless to give a further description of the above lands, as I presume no one will buy without examining for themselves. Any one wishing to examine either or all of the above named places, can call on R. B. Sutton, esq., who lives on the premises, and is fully authorized to sell any and all of the above lands until August the

Executor of Joshua Reamy, dec'd.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF A VALUABLE FARM IN ALEXANDRIA COUNTY, VIRGINIA.-By virtue of a deed of trust, bear-MER HILL," containing ONE HUNDAND AND FIFTY ACRES, on the Washington and Alexandria Turnpike Road, and about midway between the two cities.

The improvements consist of a large and substantial FRAME DWELLING, in exellent repair, together with Stables, Servants' Houses, and all necessary out buildings. About 120 acres are in a good state of cultivation, and the residue in Wood and Timber. This FARM is situated within a half hour's

quality, and produces good crops of Grain and Grasses, and is regarded as one of the most desirable farms in the county. TERMS OF SALE .- A sufficient amount in cash to pay the expenses of the sale, and \$6,000 with cent gift, on the part of the President, neith- interest from the 14th of July, 1857; and the er Mr. Cutts, nor Judge Douglas, have as yet residue payable on the 14th day of January,

and to be secured by the bond of the purchaser,

mh 8-2awts [Nat Int.] Immediately after the sale of the Land above mentioned, I will, (with the consent of the owner.) sell all the stock of PERSONAL PROPERTY on said premises, consisting of gs, farming implements. ORSES, CATTLE, ho and agricultural machinery, wagons, carriages, and household and kitchen furniture. Terms at

mb 15-2awts The above sale was postponed on account of inclement weather, until the 8th of May, at the same hour and place.

ap 23-eots 1. L. KINZER, Trustee. BY S. J. McCORMICK-AUCTIONEER.

SALE THIS DAY. TRUSTEE'S SALE .- By virtue of a deed of trust to the undersigned, from Silas J. Saunders and wife, dated August 1st, 1856, and recorded in the office of the Clerk of the County Court of Fairfax county, will be offered for sale, on the premises, on the 17th day of April next, the TRACT OF LAND, in said county, called CRACKER HALL," with sundry other Tracts adjacent thereto, containing in the aggregate about 205 ACRES, all lying about three miles from Alexandria, on the south side of Hunting

Mount Vernon.

There are on the premises a well built two-story brick DWELLING, with seven rooms, and all necessary out-buildings-a barn, stable, corn-house, &c., &c.; an abundant supply

TERMS .- One fourth cash; the remainder in equal payments, with interest, at 6, 12 and 18 months, respectively. Title reserved till the

the 8th day of May, at 11 o'clock, A. M. Terms cash. [ap 30-eo3t\*] SARAH CHARLES. DUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE LAND .-By virtue of a deed of trust, I will sell at public sale for cash, at Fairfax Court House, on Monday, the 17th day of May, (Court day.) 6.00 a valuable tract of land situated about three Water..... 1.70 and a half miles from Alexandria, on the Little River Turnpike road, and containing one hun-

place in front of the Mayor's office, on Saturday,

cleared, and the residue in fine timber. The said farm is within a mile of the Theological Seminary and High School, and adjoins the land of James Cloud. WM. H. DULANY, of James Cloud. WM. H. Fairfax county, ap 10—eots

PUBLIC SALE -Will be sold at the Tavern of Samuel Catts, West End, Fairfax county, Va, on Saturday, the 29th day of May, 1858, at 12 o'clock M., three likely YOUNG SLAVES, two GIRLS and a BOY. These Slaves belong jointly to the estate of John R. Rogers, dec d., and John H. Fones. Terms of LORENZO ROGERS. sale, cash.

Fairfax county, my 3-2awts TRON, HORSE SHOES,

ELIPTIC SPRINGS, &c., &c. C. M. CASTLEMAN, No. 63, King-st., CORNER OF MARKET ALLEY, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in AMERICAN AND ENGLISH

Elliptic Springs, Carriage and Cart Axles Blacksmith's Bellows, Anvils, Vices, &c. A general assortment of the above named articles will be kept constantly on hand, together

ly invited to call and examine my stock before purchasing. Orders will be promptly attended dec 10

Soluble Phosphate of Lime...... 37.00

average price of last week. Hoss.—Hogs are in good supply, and prices are tending downward. We quote them to-day as ranging from \$6.75 to \$7.50 \$100 lbs. nett. \$3.75@\$3 p 100 bs. gross, for clipped.

James River and Kanawha Stock, last sales

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1868 at 110. California old bonds brought 84‡, and new 82‡ and 82. Land Warrants are still at a stand. The pre-

Do firkin...... 0 124 @ 0 18 Bacem. bog round ...... 9 50 @ 10 50 

BLACK-ETED PEAS....... 1 00 @ 0 00

ing dull, at \$4.371 for Union street. The receipts of Wheat have been light, and prices 100, 103@105c. Corn has been in fair request; offerings fair; sales of white and mixed at 62@ tle coming to market. Oats are in better enquiry, with sales at 371c. for bright. Sales of Plaster is in good demand, at above quotations The demand for Guano is improving, and sales to a considerable extent have been made-quo-

There is no increase in the arrivals to day. Prices have slightly declined, and sales of Shad were made at \$11@\$11.75 p hundred; Herring \$100\$11 & thousand. The supply this week has exceeded that of any previous week this season, but it is far below the supply of any week during a good fishery. The demand con tinues very active, and there is very little pros-

New York Cattle Market, May 6. yards during the past week, amounted to 3,063 gandy and other Lawns; Berages; Berage De head, an increase of 224 head as compared with Laines, and Crape Meretts; plain wool De cents per pound Cows and Calves were in large stock of Parasols; 4-4, 5-4, and 6-4 White cents per pound Cows and Calves were in all of which will be sold very cheap.

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J. F. & L. A. LARLIN,

CATTLE.-Beef Cattle were in good supply today, and prices were a shade lower than on last market day. The offerings at the scales reached 600 head; 125 of which were driven away, 50 were left ever unsold, and the remaining 425 head were taken up by Baltimore butchers, at prices ranging from \$4 to \$5.121 on the hoof, equal to \$8@\$9.25 nett, and averaging \$4.50 gross. The average price to day is & below the

It appears from statistics in the Journal of

In transitu, Bank and Branches,

Sales of Stock in Richmond, May 6.

held at \$91, and int. Bonds guaranteed by the State, last sales \$90,

Exchange Bank Stock, last sales \$1034 Virginia Fire and Marine Insurance Stock,

R. Stock, last sales \$70.

Richmond and Petersburg Railroad Stock,

Orange and Alexandria Railroad bonds \$66

At W. C. Purcell & Co 's regular auction sale on Thursday, 6th inst, stocks sold at the follow-

"We look for a very animated export trade for the two or three months next ensuing, but the quantity of produce shipped must be limited ing, and the consequent rise in the rates of freight. At this date last year the rates of week of May, 1857, our readers may remember that a shipowner engaged rosin to Liverpool for nothing, desiring it for ballast; but the engagement fell through because he would not haul his vessel to receive it! Flour was shipped to Liverpool at 9d @1s., and grain at 1d, with little offering even at these low rates; now, flour is taken at 2s. 5d., and grain at 63d a7d., and the rates are still tending upward. It the return freights from Liverpool were at all equal to the rates of last year, our shipping would be making handsome profits; but the very reverse is the

SAILED. Schr. Charm, Blayland, Brandywine, by Caze-Schr. J. Cadwallader, Corson, for this port,

MORE NEW GOODS -We have just re-

20 pieces Lawn, at 61 cents " from 8 to 12½ "
" Berage de Laines 8½ 50

be \$1.50 per day.

OMNIBUSES and PORTERS regular in Proprietor

FOR BOSTON .- WITH DESPATCH -

By Yesterday Evening's Mails.

the payment of liabilities.

200,186 48 | Rev. John Sexsmith, a ministerial messen-

ginia Conference, a new district formed since the last session of the General Conference. The same person offered a resolution to the effect that the Secretaries of the several Ac-

On Memorials and Petitions .- Wm. Col-

Church, and referred to the Committee on

to be pursued by the ministry of this church. Laid on the table and made the order of the

THE GENERAL CONFERENCE of the M. E. Church South, met at Nashville, Tennessee,

ing Committees, the Conference adjourned SUPERIOR COURT.-The Spring term of our Superior Court commenced on Saturday last, Judge Field, presiding, and adjourned on the Wednesday following. Owing to the illness of Win. J. Robertson, esq., who was employed in most of the cases on the docket, there was but little business transacted. The case of the Commonwealth vs. Barrott, charged with the stabbing of Mr. A. J. Eddings, some time last December, was the first that occupied the attenverdict of guilty, and confinement in the County Sail for six months and a fine of \$50. The case of the Commonwealth vs. Locker, for the malicious stabbing of Mr. Jas. Carpenter, a month or two ago, was

of our Superior Court .- Orange Chronicle EARLY WHEAT - We have received, through

mond for the State S ciery, at an expense of \$54,000, are to be used by this Society, and its operations and exhibitions are to be so timed and arranged as to be auxiliary to those

W M. SHUSTER & CO.

On motion of Mr. Bonham, the House ad-

On the 6th instant, by the Rev. Andrew G. Carothers, Mr. TOBIAS ROBEY, to Miss LUCY ANN KLOCK, both of Fairfax county, Va. On Thursday, May 6th, at the Presbyterian

DIED. At Ellicott's Mills, on Sunday, May 2d Mrs ANN THORN, in the 73d year of her age.

Do flounced silk Robes do Organdie Robes Do Organdie Robes a'Quille do Muslins by the yard French Jaconets and Lawns Handsome figured Swiss Muslins Fine quality plaid Nainsook Muslins And thin Goods of almost every description

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M ILLINERY —I have just received a large stock of Straw, Silk, and other new styles

J. WILLIAM BOWLING,



DWELLING HOUSE, and all the necessary out houses for a small family, to-

of light draft, and possesses every advantage of the water. These two farms can be divided so as 10th, at which time, if not otherwise sold, I shall on that day on the premises, sell to the highest bidder, all or any portion that has

Va, or R. B. SUTTON, Millville, Va., where all communications will be immediately at-tended to THOMAS B. REAMY,

not been previously sold. For further particu-

lars, address THOS. B. REAMY, Falmouth,

Westmoreland county, Va., my 8-eots SALE THIS DAY.

drive of the markets of Washington, Georgetown, and Alexandria, and possesses advantages rarely met with. The land is of excellent

and a deed of trust on the property. Major Tochman, residing on the premises, will shew them to any one desiring to purchase.

I. LOUIS KINZER, Trustee.

I. L. KINZER, Trustee. sale.

Creek, on the road leading from Alexandria to

purchase money be paid.
D. FUNSTEN, Trustee.

feb 16-law4w&eots The above sale is postponed to Saturday, the 8th of May next; to commence on the premises, at 12 o'clock, M. [ap 20-eots] D. F. SALE THIS DAY. AUCTION SALE OF A FRAME TENEMENT, on the west side of Patrick reet, near the corner of Princess street .- I will sell the above HOUSE and LOT for a term of twelve years and six months, subject to an annual charge of six dollars per annum. The lot is twenty leet front, running back one hundred and fifteen feet to an alley. The sale will take

dred and fifty-four and one fourth acres.—
The BUILDINGS on said place are new and substantial. About sixty acres are

Adm'r. of the estate of Jno. R. Rogers, dec'd. J F FONES.

REFINED BAR AND SHEET IRON, Cast, Shear, and Spring Steel.

with other articles to tedious to mention. Merchants and consumers are respectful-